

surface from a starting point on said second tubular body and terminating adjacent the free box end,

an annular inclined shoulder formed internally of said box for engagement with said inclined nose section for preventing said inclined nose section from moving radially away from engagement with said shoulder,

an external seal between said pin and said box adjacent said pin thread starting point and proximate said free box end, said external seal comprising a pin seal surface formed externally of said pin,

an annular seal member carried in a groove within said free box end, and

an internal seal adjacent said box thread starting point and said free pin end
B1 whereby said pin threads and said box threads are confined between said external and internal seals when said pin and box are engaged.

2. A connector as defined in Claim 1 wherein said pin threads run out to an outside diameter of said first tubular body at said starting point of said pin threads.

3. A connector as defined in Claim 1 wherein stab flanks of said pin threads have a greater inclination relative to a central axis of said connector than lead flanks of said pin threads.

10. A connector as defined in Claim 6 wherein said external seal is an
B2 annular, elastomeric seal ring carried externally of said first tubular body and adapted to engage a face formed at an axial end of said box.